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PIEZOELECTRIC TRANSDUCER)

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Case No.: 1187.003

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR - NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

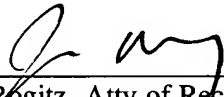
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Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-captioned patent application, enclosed herewith are the following:

- (1) Fee Transmittal;
- (2) Specification in 15 pages;
- (3) 4 sheets of drawings;
- (4) Declaration and Power of Attorney in 2 pages;
- (5) Credit Card Payment form for \$475 to cover government filing fees;
- (6) An acknowledgment postcard.

Respectfully submitted,



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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 475

Complete if Known

Application Number
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First Named Inventor ERIC SCOTT MICKO
Examiner Name
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Attorney Docket No. 1187.003

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|------------------------|-----------|
| | | 1001 | 770 | Utility filing fee | 385 |
| | | 1002 | 340 | Design filing fee | |
| | | 1003 | 530 | Plant filing fee | |
| | | 1004 | 770 | Reissue filing fee | |
| | | 1005 | 160 | Provisional filing fee | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | | | | (\$) 385 |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| 30 | -20** = 10 | 9 | 90 |
| 3 | -3** = 0 | 43 | 00 |
| Multiple Dependent | | | |

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|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|---|
| | | 1202 | 18 | 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 |
| | | 1201 | 86 | 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| | | 1203 | 290 | 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| | | 1204 | 86 | 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| | | 1205 | 18 | 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 90

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1051 | 130 | 2051 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 | 210 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 | 740 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 | 1,005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 | 240 | Design issue fee | |
| 1503 | 640 | 2503 | 320 | Plant issue fee | |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | |

Other fee (specify)

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 0

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